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SUBJECT: SPANISH BASE NEGOTIATIONS: PRIVILEGES & IMMUNITIES  
FOR COUNCIL PERSONNEL

REF: STATE 23833: STATE 23446

1. MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AGREES TO ACCEPT THE LANGUAGE  
PREFERRED BY THE DEPT (I.E. WITHOUT  
SPECIFIC REFERENCE TO THE VIENNA CONVENTION) BUT FOR THE SAKE  
OF CLARITY PROPOSES ONE CHANGE. THIS WOULD MAKE CLEAR THAT THE  
PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES TO BE ACCORDED WERE ONLY THOSE ACCORDED  
TO PERSONS OF EQUIVALENT RANK AND FUNCTION OF DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS  
IN THE COUNTRY IN WHICH THE COUNCIL PERSONNEL WERE ACTUALLY  
CARRYING OUT THEIR WORK.

2. THUS THE TEXT WOULD NOW READ: QUOTE PURSUANT TO ARTICLE VI  
OF SUPPLEMENTARY AGREEMENT NO1 OF THE TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP &  
COOPERATION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND SPAIN, SIGNED AT MADRID  
ON JANUARY 24, 1976, THE NORM TO BE APPLIED IS THAT OF EACH  
COUNTRY'S ESTABLISHED PRACTICE WITH REGARD TO DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS.  
THE PARTICIPANTS IN THE WORK OF THE COUNCIL WILL, THEREFORE  
RECEIVE THE PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES ACCORDED IN THE COUNTRY  
IN WHICH THE WORK IS BEING CARRIED OUT TO PERSONS OF EQUIVALENT  
RANK AND FUNCTION WHO ARE MEMBERS OF THE DIPLOMATIC, ADMINISTRA-  
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TIVE AND TECHNICAL STAFF, AS APPROPRIATE, OF FOREIGN DIPLOMATIC

MISSIONS IN THAT COUNTRY. END QUOTE.

3. IF THIS ACCEPTABLE, WE WOULD EXCHANGE NOTES (BETWEEN THE  
AMBASSADOR AND ROVIRA, WITH OUR SIDE INITIATING) AS EARLY AS  
FEB3. PLEASE ADVISE.  
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